



DEPARTMENT 118
INDIANA STATE FAIR
BREWERS' CUP COMPETITION

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All Entries Close - Saturday, June 26, 2004

Entries accepted from
Saturday, June 12 - Saturday, June 26, 2004
Judging on Saturday, July 10, 2004

Entries may be delivered in person or by parcel carrier during business hours to:

Indiana State Fair Brewers' Cup
Ace Discount Liquors, Attn: Brian Snider
9777 E 116th St.
Fishers, IN 46038
(317) 585-9900
Mon-Sat 9 am until 11 pm

Entries should include:
Entry form, entry fee, three 12 oz. bottles. Labels listing the Brewer's name, beer category name and number, subcategory name and letter should be affixed to each bottle with a rubber band.

**** 12 oz. bottles only ****

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

BREWERS' CUP COMPETITION TERMS AND CONDITIONS

READ GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN THE FRONT OF THIS BOOK AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE BREWERS' CUP COMPETITION. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE EXHIBITOR TO BE FAMILIAR WITH AND UNDERSTAND ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONCERNING EXHIBITION.

1. An official 2003 Brewers' Cup entry form must be completed for participation in the Indiana State Fair Brewers' Cup Competition. Entry forms along with appropriate fees must be delivered with the labeled beer to: Ace Discount Liquors, Indiana State Fair Brewers' Cup, Attention: Brian Snider, 9777 E 116th St, Fishers, IN 46038. The deadline for entry is Saturday, June 26, 2004. **Entries for this competition will only be accepted between June 12, 2004 and June 26, 2004.** Entry fee for the Homebrewer - Section HB is \$7.00 per beer and for the Professional - Section PB entry fee is \$10.00 per beer. **NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
2. Entries will be judged according to Beer Judge Certification Program (BJCP) beer style category descriptions and style guidelines. Categories are designated by numbers and subcategories are designated with letters.
3. Entries will be accepted for the 23 style categories listed. WE WILL NOT ACCEPT MEAD OR CIDER ENTRIES. MEAD AND CIDER ENTRIES MUST BE ENTERED IN THE INDIANA STATE FAIR WINE COMPETITION.
4. Do not submit more than one entry per subcategory. Example: It is NOT acceptable to enter two American Pale Ales, but it is acceptable to enter one American Pale Ale and one American Amber Ale, since these are in different subcategories of the American Pale Ales category.
5. Award winning beer entries may be displayed in a locked case in the Marsh Agriculture/Horticulture Building throughout the Fair. All entries will become the property of the Indiana State Fair and will not be released after the exhibit.
6. Each exhibitor will receive two tickets to the Brewers' Cup Award Reception to be held immediately following the judging at approximately 4 pm. Results will be announced for homebrewer and professional brewer class entries during the awards reception and at www.brewerscup.org.
7. Beers are judged according to style guidelines for the subcategory as listed by the entrant. Directors, judges, or registrars will not classify or reclassify an entry under any circumstances.
8. **The competition reserves the right to combine categories and/or subcategories to create a flight for judging and prize purposes.**

9. Entries submitted without the proper entry fees will not be judged.
Make check or money order payable to Indiana State Fair.

HOME BREWER SPECIAL AWARDS

Homebrewer Best of Show Awards

- Ace Discount Liquors Best of Show trophy
- Opportunity to brew winning recipe at Broad Ripple Brew Pub
- One year's supply of yeast, compliments of White Labs
- One year's supply of pale malt from Mid-American Brewing

First Place - Fifty dollar gift certificate from Ace Discount Liquors

Second Place - Forty dollar gift certificate from Great Fermentations

Third Place - Brew Your Own Magazine subscription, White Labs Yeast, gift certificate from Brewers Art Supply

All first, second and third place winners will also receive one ticket to the Indiana Microbrewers Festival July 31, 2004.

SECTION HB - HOME BREWER

1. Entries may not be submitted that have been brewed on equipment used for any commercial purpose, including research, production, or brew-on-premise establishments.
2. Assistant brewers of award winning beers will be announced and listed in official results, but prizes will be presented only to the primary individual brewer.
3. Entries must receive a minimum judge's score of 24 to be eligible for an award. First, second and third placings will be awarded to the top three eligible entries in each flight. The first place winner in each flight will advance to the Homebrewer Class "Best of Show" round.
4. Each entry **must** consist of three (3) bottles, 12 ounces in volume, brown or green glass, and must be completely free of paper labels, raised-glass, and/or inked brand-name lettering. Use plain caps or obliterate any lettering or graphics on the cap with a permanent black marker. Bottles with Grolsch-type swing tops are not allowed. Corked bottles meeting the above restrictions are acceptable; however, you must crimp a crown over the cork.
Bottles that do not meet these requirements will be disqualified and will not be judged. There will be no refund of entry fees.
5. EVERY BOTTLE MUST BE LABELED WITH A COMPLETED BOTTLE ID FORM INCLUDED IN THESE ENTRY GUIDELINES. INFORMATION: a) Brewer's name; b) Entry Section (HB); c) style category number and subcategory letter; d) subcategory style name written out. The label should be typed or printed legibly and attached by a rubber band to each bottle entered. Category numbers and subcategory letters and style names are listed below.

BOTTLE ID FORM	
Name	_____
Street Address	_____
City	_____
State	_____ Zip _____
Phone Number	_____
Name of Beer	_____
Category Entered	_____
Subcategory	_____
ATTACH ONE FORM TO EACH BOTTLE WITH A RUBBER BAND.	

****This is a sample of the bottle labels.
You will find the actual sheet with the Brewer's Entry
Form in the back of this book.
Copies are acceptable****

6. **HOME BREWER BEER LABEL COMPETITION** - Sponsored by Broad Ripple Brew Pub - 1st place \$50
Any beer entered is eligible. Send label with brewer's name, beer style category number and subcategory letter, and any "brand name" assigned by brewer listed on back of label. Judging of beer labels will take place during brewer's competition, and the winner will receive the "Brew Crew" award.

The Brewers of Indiana Guild will produce a poster from all label entries submitted.

SECTION PB - PROFESSIONAL BREWER

1. Contest is open to all commercial brewers.
2. Each entry must consist of (3) bottles, **12 OUNCES IN VOLUME**. Commercial labels may appear on bottles submitted, and will be used for exhibit display purposes. In addition to any commercial label, **EVERY BOTTLE MUST BE LABELED WITH THE FOLLOWING:** a) Brewery's name; b) Entry Section (PB); c) style category number and subcategory letter; d) subcategory style name written out. The label should be typed or printed legibly and attached by rubber band to each bottle entered. Category numbers and subcategory letters and style names are listed below.
3. Entry form must be signed by an owner/legal authority of the commercial brewery submitting the entry. Entrants accept all terms and conditions of the Indiana State Fair by submitting an entry. No entries will be returned. Brewers have permission from the Indiana State Fair to use their award in promotional material.
4. Professional class judging will be conducted by teams of qualified judges, including Beer Judge Certification Program judges, experienced competition judges and professional brewers. Participating beer judges may submit entries, but may not judge the style category of their own entry. Beers will be judged against BJCP style guidelines rather than against other beers within a flight. Gold, Silver, Bronze will be awarded according to the following schedule: Gold 40+ points; Silver 35-39 points; Bronze 30-34 points. Gold award winners with the highest score within each category will advance to the "Best of Show" round.
5. Only Gold, Silver, & Bronze winners will be listed. A list of all entrants will not be released.

Brewers of Indiana Guild will present an award to the winning Indiana Brewery.

Beer categories, style guidelines, judging procedures and contest terms and conditions for the Indiana State Fair Brewers' Cup have been adopted from the Beer Judge Certification Program (BJCP) competition guidelines and requirements, with permission.

For full descriptions and commercial examples of beer styles please contact Anita Johnson, at anita@greatfermentations.com (317) 257-9463 or refer to: <http://www.brewerscup.org>

CATEGORY/SUBCATEGORY GROUPINGS

FOR ALL CLASSES

CATEGORY #	CATEGORY NAME	SUBCATEGORY
1.	American Lager	A Light/Standard/Premium B Dark C Classic American Pilsner
2.	European Pale Lager	A Bohemian Pilsner B Northern German Pilsner C Dortmunder Export D Muenchner Helles
3.	Light Ale	A Blond Ale B American Wheat C Cream Ale
4.	Bitter and English Pale Ale	A Ordinary Bitter B Special or Best Bitter C Strong Bitter/English Pale Ale
5.	Scottish Ales	A Light 60/- B Heavy 70/- C Export 80/-
6.	American Pale Ales	A American Pale Ale B American Amber Ale C California Common Beer
7.	India Pale Ale	A India Pale Ale
8.	Kolsch and Altbier	A Kolsch-style Ale B Duesseldorf Altbier C Northern German Altbier
9.	German Amber Lager	A Oktoberfest/Maerzen B Vienna Lager

CATEGORY #	CATEGORY NAME	SUBCATEGORY
10.	Brown Ale	A Mild B Northern English Brown Ale C Southern English Brown D American Brown Ale
11.	English and Scottish Strong Ale	A Old Ale B Strong Scotch Ale (Wee Heavy)
12.	Barleywine and Imperial Stout	A English-style Barleywine B American-style Barleywine C Russian Imperial Stout
13.	European Dark Lager	A Munich Dunkel B Schwarzbier (Black Beer)
14.	Bock	A Traditional Bock B Helles Bock/Maibock C Doppelbock D Eisbock
15.	Porter	A Robust Porter B Brown Porter
16.	Stout	A Dry Stout B Sweet Stout C Oatmeal Stout D Foreign Extra Stout
17.	Wheat Beer	A Bavarian Weizen B Bavarian Dunkelweizen C Berliner Weisse D Weizenbock
18.	Strong Belgian Ale	A Dubbel B Tripel C Belgian Strong Golden Ale D Belgian Strong Dark Ale

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19.	Belgian and French Ale	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Belgian Pale Ale B Witbier C Biere de Garde D Saison E Belgian Specialty Ale
20.	Lambic and Belgian Sour Ale	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Straight (Unblended) Lambic-Style Ale B Gueuze/Gueze-Style Ale C Fruit Lambic-Style Ale D Oud Bruin E Flanders Red Ale
21.	Fruit Beer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Fruit Beer Entrant must specify beer category, and subcategory as well as fruit used.
22.	Spice/Herb/Vegetable Beer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Spice/Herb/Vegetable beer Entrant must specify beer category and subcategory as well as spice/herb/vegetable(s) used.
23.	Smoke-Flavored Beer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Classic Rauch bier B Other Smoked Beer - if based on a classic style, category must be specified.
24.	Specialty/Experimental/Historical	